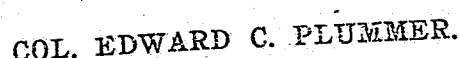


THE NORWAY ADVERTISER
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PERSONS OF NOTE

By C. F. WHITMAN



Oxford Electric Co.

Mrs. Mary O. Jordan.

Norway Commercial Club Rooms.

The rooms of the Norway Commercial Club are fast nearing completion and will be as fine a suite of rooms for a club as is often found in a village of the size of Norway.

The rooms are over the store of the United Installment Company and are centrally located. There is a good, large, tiled room for modern bathing, a hall, a toilet room for modish convenience, double reception for a waiting room and a small parlour for a writing room and a lavatory.

A room for a pool and billiard table has been reserved.

The rooms will all be finished in pressed, with white steel or brass doors, tinted walls and light wood floors. They will be lighted by electricity and steam heat.

The committee on purchasing furniture for the rooms is A. N. Record, E. S. Cummings and T. J. Johnson and will furnish the rooms with the necessary furniture of good quality and designed for comfort.

In the hands of the

spring will be buried in the family vault at Pine Grove Cemetery.

Norway Grange Notes.

Despite the unfavorable traveling conditions, the successful meeting of the Norway Grange was held on Feb. 26. Owing to the enforced absence of the Worthy Master and Overseer, the Worthy Lecturer gave the address to W. Stenard Hattie Buck, w president, acted as Overseer; Willard Buck, Stewart; Edgar Dunn, Assistant Steward; Hattie Buck, L. A. Swenson, Secretary.

The forenoon was devoted to routine business and balloting. Several proposals for membership were received.

Prof. Yeaton and the several boys who came in the interests of the Grange. The organization of the Club was decided until March 18th, on which date Prof. Yeaton and Mitchell will be present. Prof. Yeaton said the little talk that he had given the boys that were present, also gave some very pointed facts on

The rooms are now in use by painters and work is progressing rapidly. John Hutchins has charge of the painting.

The Club rooms when completed will be for the exclusive use of the club members.

Elms House Sold.

The Andrews Real Estate Agency has sold the Elms House, occupied by N. C. Merrill to E. J. Beck of Norway. The house will soon be a thing of the old landmarks will soon be removed to make room for Mr. Beck intends to remove the past, build a new modern one up to date garage on the spot they now stand on.

The topic, "Selection of Seeds," was given by the Lecturer, Fred Grovig and Abbott also added some interesting remarks.

Sister Oxnard gave an excellent treatise on which embodied the virtue of patience in speech. Captains Goodwin and Journey then presented their program which was very much enjoyed. A day meeting will be held on March 7 at 8 o'clock at the Pomeroy Dining Committee foresaw it. On March 10 there were all day meetings held, as before stated.

It was voted to put Norway Gym Hall at the service of the Pomology Society to hold a meeting on April 16. There will be work in the days and weeks following.

We print maple syrup labels for you. Do you need any? If so, send order in early. Quoted prices: 250 labels \$1.35—500 labels \$1.75. For gummed labels add 10 cents more for 250, or 20 cents more for 500. We pay delivery on them at above prices. Write to: The Norwegian Maine.

Sunday, the Knights of King Arthur were organized at the Universalist church and several new members were initiated. The next meeting will be held at the next meeting evening, March 8, at their Wednesday evening. March 8, at their Wednesday evening, officers will be elected.

Mrs. D. A. Ball of West Paris met the teachers and officers of the Universalist Sunday School at the home of Mrs. W. F. Jones, Wednesday evening.

Edw. Moore has gone to Portland to work.

Original poem, George Washington, Howard
Original talk on George Washington, Howard
Original poem, A. E. I.
Original talk on Trip to Mt. Vernon, A. E. I.
Original poem, A. E. I.

Nellie Andrews entertained the Club, Thursday afternoon. After the time, refreshments were served by the hostess.

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Roland Andrews of Portland has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Nevins.

Arthur Chandler went to the Hospital for appendicitis, Monday.

Dr. R. P. Balthusy of Togus was in town last Sunday.

Brown, Buck & Co., successors to the Thomas Smiley Dry Goods Store, are advertising their "Change of Ownership Sale" and it was well advertised. The store was decorated with banners of various colors bearing the announcement of the sale.

Special clerks assisted during the week, Saturday, including Mrs. Walter Stearns, Mrs. P. C. Bradbury, Mrs. Etta Norwood, Mrs. L. H. Cushman, Jennie Barworthy, Miss L. A. Buck.

A Masonic Assembly was held last evening at Masonic Hall. The affair seemed in a small hall. The affair was over to the ladies to do this night, which made it leap a very pleasant evening. Dancing was in order with music furnished by Howard Stearns, piano; Stearns, violin; and Frank K. Norwood, bass.

The Sunshine Class of the Congregational church enjoyed a conventional Wednesday evening at the Mrs. N. L. Dwinat at South P.

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Veranda Club met at the home of Mrs. Sheen Thursday eve, February 24, where a very pleasant evening was spent. After the business meeting the hostess served cake, cookies, sandwiches, cheese and coffee. Next meeting will be at Mrs. Cassie Starbird's, Thursday evening, March 9.

Mildred McLean is spending a few weeks in Massachusetts. She will be in the S. S. of the Methodist church next Sunday, March 9 with Mrs. Ella Knightly. Devotional service will be given by Mrs. R. D. Gould, followed by a song. The subject of the Lesson is responsive exercise under the title "Light." The Edificative Force by Mrs. Clara Stone. The subject of the Lesson is "The Secret of Success" by Mrs. O. I. Stone. Lesson references by Etta Noyes and Carrie Muirhead, closing with a poetic plea by Mrs. Knightly.

The subject of next Sunday's Christian Science Lesson Sermon will be "Man and the Golden Text" from III John.

The growing demand for Christian Science literature being evident, arrangements are being made to publish all of Mr. W. H. Channing's lectures, including "Science of Health with Key to the Scriptures," on sale in Norway after next week.

Mrs. J. K. Symmers of Lawrence Place, New York, who was to have arrived in Norway last Monday, has gone to Atlanta City for a few days, and will therefore leave for Norway until the end of the present week.

Mrs. Jameson Finney will be the designer for Mrs. Luella C. Smith at St. Louis, Paris for Mrs. L. M. Smith at St. Paul, and Mrs. S. Smiley to Boston Tuesday to attend the millinery opening at Thompson Manor has bought a new dress from the famous street for \$100.

Victor Matt through the Woodman and Richardson Real Estate Agency.

P. W. Curtis has bought the Charles Aker's residence on Pleasant street.

A note was made through the agency of Woodman and Richardson.

A special meeting of the Arch Chapter was held Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. M. degrees.

The meeting of the Patent-Town Association was held Friday evening at the assembly room at the Hotel Barlett. The president, Mr. J. L. Bartlett, presented a report of the association's work. Waterville was given by W. F. Jones, which was followed by a discussion of "What a teacher may expect from the parents," by Mr. B. Mergin and George Gardner. The next papers were presented by Stephen Cummings, Elton L. Brown. Several others, including H. L. Howe, Rev. H. L. Nichols, and Rev. R. J. Bruce spoke before the Refreshments were served by Mrs. Favor, Mrs. Maude DeCoster and the committee in charge.

The entertainment was given by Mrs. T. C. Morrill and Mrs. W. F. Jones.

OUR WESTERN TRIP

This is the title of a just published book by Mrs. A. B. Clark of Boston, which will be on sale all across the continent taken by her and Mr. Clark from Nov. 21 to Oct. 10, 1906. The book includes a visit to both exhibits and the relatives in Washington and the West.

It is written by Mrs. Clark and is a very interesting and well noted paper by her and will so appear in this paper.

One should read it, as it is interesting and instructive. It will soon commence in the paper. Watch out for it. Don't miss it.

Mrs. R. L. Powers and daughter are attending the millinery in Boston week. May Johnston will be the designer. Powers for the coming season The Karel Free Klub was pleasantly entertained Tuesday evening at the home of F. H. Crescenzo street.

Helma Gerry, who has been a few weeks with her mother, Gerry, went to Dorchester Monday to spend three western days. Mrs. Samuel Ross Miss Gerry's a few weeks vacation from being at Bryant's Pond.

Thaddeus Cross, who has been for the past four weeks with lameness is convalescent and street Tuesday.

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HARKEN BACK ON THE PAST

Thirty-two Years Ago.

Sevell Austin in the past three years has sold and put over 300 pumpkins. The Norway Hall has been in operation for a long time. A dividend of 4 per cent. has been paid the stock holders and several hundred dollars paid on the debt.

The Harper M'g Co. at Welchville is putting in new machinery. The Capt. J. H. Hays has returned from Europe to St. Hyacinth, P. Q., where he has been to look over Knowles & Anderson's grease factory. He reports large families in that section.

A North Rumford item says: "Wald Peterson, who owns large tracts of land in the North Rumford Palls for parties and we are hoping to see business booming at the Palls."

The mile race at the Roller Skating rink was won by C. W. Bowker of Portland. The second was W. C. Pierce, second of Portland.

Prof. O. W. Collins has resigned a principal of the High School. He had charge of the school for several years and all regret his leaving. He is to go himself for a doctor and goes to Boston Medical College this week.

John H. Haselton has opened a dancing school at the residence of S. H. Walcott and George A. C. Walcott, fishing through the ice on the lake and have a big catch of pickerel. Victor M. Whitman and Willis Knapp have started a paper called "Crescent Star." Universalist Fair netted \$600. When the ladies get \$400.00 they are to remodel the church. Cook and Sampson have bought T. Stuart's barbering business. The N. S. & Co. at Steep Fall settling their business in insolvency. George A. Brooks has sold his grocery business in Lynn and returned to the city. Frank E. Bell has sold his clothing business to Harry Lane.

Silas Dexter Andrews.

Silas Dexter Andrews passed Thursday morning at the home of his niece, Mrs. John F. Swain, from the effects of a severe shock which he sustained last Sunday morning.

Mr. Andrews was born in Otis September 3, 1838, the son of David Andrews.

Harriet Sawyer, who was born in Otisfield and on Nov. 10, 1862, he was united in marriage to Catherine Thomas Foster by Rev. Davenport, the pastor of the First Congregational church. One son was born to who died in infancy. For ten years after his marriage he was in the clothing business at Otisfield and then moved to Winchester, Mass., and after two years and a half he came to Nebraska. In November, 1874, moved to New York. He engaged in the clothing business until 1885, when he sold out and went West with his wife. He then engaged a banking business in Nebraska. For a number of years he was superintendent of the new water works at Oconto, Wisconsin.

He came to Norway in 1890. For a number of years he was in the furniture business at H. L. Horne's store. Marston street in what is now the town of Oconto. He was a member of the P. H. Horne a number of years.

Since the death of his wife 24 years ago Mr. Andrews sold his place on the street to T. N. N. and moved to the city with his sister, Mrs. M. A. Holden. He has been married to her since 1865, and has three children, a son and two daughters. He has been with his sister at the winter until five weeks ago, when he returned on account of ill health to recuperate as he felt that he needed it. He has been with his sister and his children in town among his last days, in which he resided for forty years. Since 1842 he had been up street several times. Mr. Andrews was a strong Unitarian. He was a member of the Unitarian Church No. 18, and of the Unitarian and Congregational churches. He was a member of the Unitarian church which he has been an ardent worker in for many years. He has been an active interest in all of the social and holding various offices in the first President of the Unitarian church.

which was torn to shreds by the explosion. He is survived by his sister, Mrs. Holden of Acton, Mass., and a number of nephews and nieces.

The funeral will be held, Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the O. C. F. M. church, with Rev. R. J. Coffey officiating. The Masons will conduct the service. The remains will be placed in the family lot at Otisfield.

First Annual Military
The first annual military ball, held at the Norway Opera house, Wednesday evening under the auspices of the O. C. D., N. G. S. M. and G. S. M., was a most pleasant event in every respect. The attendance was about eight-fifteen to eight-hundred members of the O. C. D. in character costumes. The program was as follows: The O. C. D., N. G. S. M. and G. S. M. gave an en-

There were forty couples from the Grand March, while the couples came up the floor during the evening. The grand marshals were Mrs. Charles and Mrs. Charles loved by the aids, 1st. St. Henry G. Flemming, Mr. Merrill, and Mr. Merrill, Mrs. Guy, and Mrs. Guy, John H. Wilson. The decorations were of white and blue. The stage was with tiers of small flags and large ones, with many of the stage were the trophies in steps and several stacks of the balcony were flags at the decorations were in c

Shaw's orchestra of South

Stereopticon Views.
A series of stereopticon picture sermons will be given at the Congregational church, Sunday evening, during the next few weeks, by Rev. R. J. Bruce.

The first of the series will be given next Sunday evening, Mar. 5, at 7 o'clock, and a large audience is desired. These picture sermons will be interesting and instructive.

There is nothing exclusive about the Board of Trade banquet, Friday night. All citizens are welcome. The only limit is the size of the room. There are a few seats left. Come.

Rev. C. G. Miller will preach a special sermon at the Universalist church, Sunday afternoon, and a large congregation is expected.

The W. C. T. U. annual Sale will be held in the Baptist vestry, Wednesday, March 8, followed by an entertainment in the evening.

Randolph H. Eastman is a candidate for tax collector this year.

A Democratic caucus will be held in the Municipal Court room, Norway, Saturday, March 5, at 2 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of choosing a delegate to the State convention, delegates to the State Convention and such other business matters may come before the meeting.

Mrs. Elmer Packard visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Shepard, at Auburn last week and Mr. Packard and Doris Shepard spent Sunday there.

SOUTH PARIS

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March Term of Court.
The March term of court will be held at Court House, Tuesday, the 10th inst. Hon. George F. Halsey as Presiding Justice.
It is expected that the term will continue about two weeks' duration, as considerable business to come before the court.

The venues for the traverse jury have been returned as follows:

William J. Green, Watford.
Harry B. Green, Watford.
William B. Duffield, Watford.
William H. Irish, Dixfield.
George W. Sawyer, Watford.
Robert P. Lyon, Rumford.
George D. Merrill, Watford.
Thos. McGrover, Rumford.
Bernett McDonalds, Lewiston.
John C. Taylor, Greenwood.
Henry G. Small, Denmark.
John C. Small, Denmark.
Arthur C. Turner, Hartford.
John C. Wyman, Hartford.
John B. Bonfield, Brownfield.
Horace H. Annis, Bethel.
John B. Bonfield, Bethel.
Frank Bean, Mexico.

Mrs. Stanley M. Wheeler was the
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The March meeting of the
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 Mrs. Walter L. Gray.

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Emery of Sanford, in the
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Helene Anderson, daughter
of Mrs. Harold Anderson, of
Mass., is visiting in the
city. E. M. Anderson
has with her brother
scarlet fever. He has a
is getting along well.

There was a pleasant get-
home of Grace Thayer
after the Abbotts
Margaret Abbott, who got
at the Grand Hall.
The Abbotts' friends

Paris Grange has in its membership of 100 men and women who are members of the girls' club and the Gaining Club. The Gaining Club has a dinner with the grange on Saturday, March 10. The Gaining Club will be closed on Saturday afternoon. A program of grange from the ritualistic program of the Beef Raising, Dairying, More Poultry, and the Grange of Brooks and J. B. Brooks. The Beef Raising, Dairying, More Poultry, and the Grange of Brooks and J. B. Brooks. The Beef Raising, Dairying, More Poultry, and the Grange of Brooks and J. B. Brooks.

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SEMI-ANNUAL Clearance Sale COMMENCES SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26th,

at 8 A. M. and continues 10 days. You are now face to face with the BIGGEST SHOE OPPORTUNITY of the season, the time when we clean out all Fall and Winter Stock.

Styles change so rapidly that we have decided to put our entire stock into this sale, the newest and most up-to-date Shoes for Men, Women and Children AT CUT PRICES.

Come the opening day. Come every day.

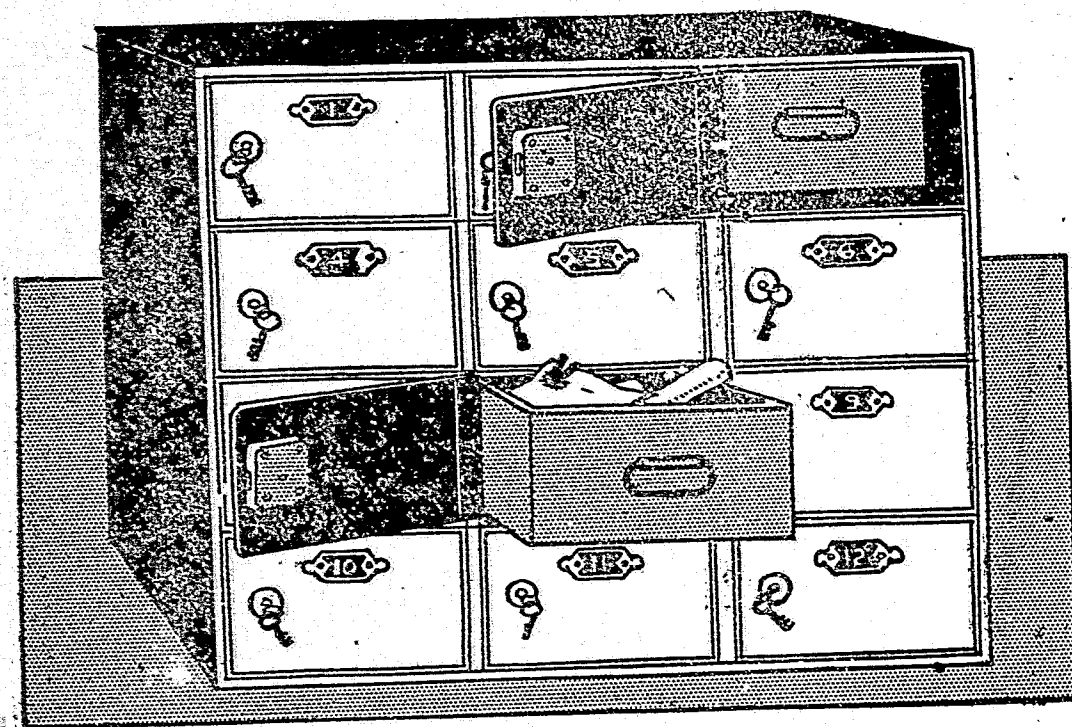
If you want dollars to do double duty, bring them to this sale and shoe up the whole family.

Remember the date, Saturday, February 26.

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We are glad to show you our goods. Orders by mail will receive prompt attention.

EAST OTISFIELD
Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lowe of Portland who have been spending their vacation the past week at their home on Scribner Hill, returned to Portland Sunday afternoon.

Margie Dyer, who is attending school at Paris, has been stopping at home for a few days. She returned Tuesday to Paris.

Albert Holden, who got hurt in the woods, is reported to be gaining slowly. Fortunately no bones were broken. Feb. 18th, taught by Elvira Edwards. Miss Edwards is one of our very smart school teachers in town.

Mrs. Peter Wood went to Pownall, Tuesday, to attend the funeral of her cousin, Mrs. Fred W. Allen. Wednesday, before returning home, she called on her uncle, James Marston and wife.

Mrs. George Dingley and two children, Alice and Linwood of Portland, have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Stone, the past week.

Mrs. George Bean is very sick, and has a trained nurse from Lewiston caring for her.

Dr. and Mrs. G. T. Elliott of New York are stopping at their home on the shore of Lake Thompson.

Arthur Bean's family have all been sick. They now seem to be gaining slowly.

BOLSTER'S MILLS
Ida Lowell of South Paris is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Turner.

Mrs. Mary Skilling is ill from the prevailing cold.

E. L. Gay was unable to attend church last Sabbath, owing to a bad cold.

The Ladies' Aid was entertained at the home of Mrs. A. F. Chase, Thursday afternoon.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Eastern Star the work was exemplified, the newly elected officers filling their chairs most acceptably.

Spurr's Corner Church will unite with Bolster's Mills in a Union Service next Sabbath, the 5th inst. Rev. William Laite will preach at 10:30 A. M. and at 2:00 P. M. There will be a basket lunch at noon and hot coffee will be served.

There was special music and the occasion is anticipated as one of great interest.

The Norway High School Dramatic Club will present the "Arabian Nights", a farcical comedy in three acts, at the George H. Foster's Mills, Tuesday, March 7, 1916. The drama will be followed by a dance. This play was put on at the Opera House, Norway, Feb. 22, and with great success and it is expected to be the best drama ever put on by a High school cast. It is hoped there will be a good attendance.

NORTH FRYEBURG
H. L. Adams spent a few days the past week in Portland.

C. H. Pride and daughter and Mrs. Green of Waterford, visited relatives in this place over Sunday.

D. Lot Wiley of the West has spent a few days the past week with relatives in this place.

Mrs. Melissa Johnson and Mrs. Edwin Jones are both under the doctor's care.

Bert Smith, who has for the past few months been working in Bartlett, has finished work there and is now at home.

Mrs. Frank Watson of Lowell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Gray last week.

The Universalist Guild, which was to have been held at Red Men's Hall Saturday, Feb. 26, by Mrs. Martha Binford, Mrs. Gertrude Shaw and Mrs. Eva Smith, was postponed on account of the rain, until Wednesday of the following week.

Wednesday, February 23rd, there was the biggest snow storm that we have had this winter at one time. There was twelve inches of it.

LOCKE'S MILLS.
C. W. Wilkey fell Saturday in his shed and was badly hurt.

H. N. Bragdon of South Paris was in town on business Saturday.

Mrs. Nell Moody visited her father at West Paris, Tuesday.

Several from here attended the drama and dance at East Bethel, Thursday evening.

C. R. Bartlett still remains in a serious condition. The picture show was postponed Saturday evening on account of the bad weather.

Mrs. Clara Brown was a guest at Edson Bartlett's at East Bethel, Thursday and attended the drama.

NORTH NEWRY
The shovel handle men have finished work for H. O. Chapman and are at W. B. Wrigg's.

The community was saddened to hear of the sudden death of Mrs. Susan Thompson formerly of this place. She leaves a husband and nine children to mourn their loss.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland West of Errol passed through this place Friday with their automobile, on their way home from the Auto Show.

Mrs. Walter Vail and children were guests at F. C. Bennett's on day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wight played for a dance at Hanover Wednesday night. A drama was given before the dance by the "East Ellis Dramatic Club," entitled, "The Village Schoolmarm."

HANOVER
Ida Adams of Rumford has been the guest of Mrs. J. J. McPherson the past week.

The Whist Club met Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Sanders. Five tables enjoyed the game. Several invited guests present, who did not play, making a gathering of about 30 people. Dates, peanuts, cake, ice-cream and fancy cookies were served. First prizes were won by Rose Howe and Eli Stearns; Consolation, Nellie Holt and L. A. Roberts.

J. J. McPherson is at home from his work on Sunday River, on account of injury to his knee with a birch boot. His juring his knee with the birch boot. His juring his knee with the birch boot.

ALBANY.
A Narrow Escape.
While one of Charles Becker's teams were coming down the mountain with a load of timber last Friday, the team got shod and the sled broke and the horses and driver, Mr. Judkins, got lamed up to some extent.

The heavy rain of last Saturday settled the snow quite a lot.

It is hoped that every voter in town will be able to get out next Monday to town meeting to discuss the tax situation.

There has not been much business done for the last week hauling pulp on the main road. There has been more business done repairing sleds than anything else where they have been trying to yard off the mountain without much snow.

Alta Cummings has been in Augusta attending a grange meeting.

George Cummings and L. J. Andrews are yarding George Cummings' pulp wood across Bog Meadow, onto the main road where they can get at it on wheels if the sledding doesn't last long enough to haul it this winter.

Bertie Briggs of West Bethel has been visiting Leslie Cummings and folks at Hunt's corner.

Our Selectmen were trying to fix up the town business last week.

William Fiske bought a fine steer calf of Walter Lord last week and one of his calves. He does a number of finely matched calves and steers, and he is an expert at mating them, too. The water run into his calf pen Saturday night and when he went to the barn four large calves were up to their knees in water. They were very much frightened and it was quite a task to get them out.

Walter Lord is having serious trouble with her throat. Mrs. Charles York remains about the same.

The last snow storm was thankfully received by the logging men in this vicinity, as many had stopped work on account of poor sledding. But we are afraid the Saturday rain will break the roads up again.

Edith Waterhouse has been quite ill since her return from Auburn, having taken a severe cold.

We are sorry to learn of the severe illness of Louis McKee, father of L. B. McKee, whose recovery is very doubtful. He does not recognize anyone at present writing.

A serious accident happened to one of our former townsmen, James Plummer of Lowell while handling logs. A large log rolled onto his hand bending it back so that all of the knuckles came on the inside of his hand. It was thought that every bone in his hand was broken, but it is now thought that not one is; he suffers extremely with it as may be supposed.

WEST LOVELL
Mrs. Martha Elliott has so far recovered that she gets around the house, although she coughs quite a great deal.

Flint Allard's foot, which was injured, is better so he can get his shoe on and he gets around the buildings some.

Mrs. Chris Le Baron spent a part of last week with her mother, Mrs. Johnny Seavey, at Harbor.

Mrs. Linus Bowley visited Mrs. Dana McAllister and Mrs. D. W. Nichols last week.

Leora Fox, who has visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Lord, has returned home.

Mrs. Caroline Fox has been quite poor for a few days, but has been around the house most of the time.

G. W. Andrews has been feeling better the past week so he has walked around the yard some.

Fred S. Stearns has fifty-three lambs from his flock of sheep.

Sarah Stearns returned to Fryeburg Academy February 22nd, after being at home two weeks with the prevailing distemper in company with her sister Edna, who had been at home for the week and vacation.

Hazel Fox is a sweet little chore girl. She cares for and milks the cows and does the necessary work at the barn while the men are in the woods.

Dana McAllister went to Stow Saturday after Mrs. Roy Buswell and carried her to Center Lovell. She went to North Lovell to care for Mrs. Edgar McAllister.

RUMFORD
James Harris is in New York on a business trip.

Rev. and Mrs. Frederick F. Foshay have returned from Marlboro, Mass., where they have been visiting Mrs. Foshay's parents. Mr. Foshay's subject in the Baptist church last Sunday was God's plan.

Marguerite McKenzie entertained her piano pupils at a Valentine party at her home last Saturday evening. A musical program including a piano solo by Robertine Howe, duet by Nellie Hickenham and Leon Shea violin, piano solo by Miss Reed. Refreshments were served.

Colonel L. W. Blanchard is confined to the house with the grippe.

Rumford High was defeated at basket ball Friday evening by the Norway High team, the score being 19 to 16.

Mrs. E. A. Wakely of Lincoln, Ave. entertained the Neighborhood Club last Friday afternoon. Refreshments were served which consisted of lobster salad, hot rolls, cake, tea and olives.

Mrs. Eliza Winslow, who has been stopping with her daughter, Mrs. W. W. of Waterville for the past few months, is with her daughter, Mrs. B. A. Evans of Hancock street, at the present time.

Mrs. B. A. Evans, who underwent an operation quite recently, is home from McCarty's hospital.

Mrs. Nathan Foster, who has been ill is able to be out.

Mrs. Pearl Dyer of Waldo street, entertained Mrs. George Horton and Mrs. Neal, Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. R. Hersey also entertained Mrs. T. L. Barker and Mrs. Allan Reed at her home on Lincoln Ave.

FRYEBURG
Haley Neighborhood.
Mrs. Margaret Sands was a guest of Mrs. Melissa Horne at the village.

Among those on the sick list are Fred Haley and son, Carroll. Clarence Haley has been ill, it being necessary for him to be absent from school two days.

G. A. Howard is confined to the house with grippe. A physician is attending him.

John Towle is in poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Haley are spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Almon Haley. Mrs. Haley is much improved in health.

Ernest Bean is working at the village for his uncle, Frank Haley.

There was no session of the Haley school on Friday, on account of the bad weather.

Miss Fannie Haley is clerking in Salmon's store.

LOVELL.
N. T. Fox and wife were in Portland last week.

Frank Stearns has a new dog. And he will make one that will be death on tramps.

The report last week was that they had a contract at the mill to saw out a platform for William J. Bryan.

Sargent Stearns of Boston has been visiting friends in town.

E. T. Stearns has returned to Massachusetts after visiting his mother for a week or two.

They have cut all the pine on the Kittridge lot owned by W. A. and C. A. Merrill; also on the lot owned by F. A. Harmon and Mrs. A. R. Davis.

A. A. Stearns has finished cutting the timber for George W. Walker.

The Drama, "The Frozen Trail" will be presented at Wiley's Hall, Wednesday evening, March 8, for the benefit of the Public Library. The cast includes Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Charles, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wells, James C. Kilgour, Jr., Lloyd Poor, Everett Bailey, Frank Harmon and Miss Marion Plummer.

Nelson T. Fox is manager. With the above cast in the hands of Mr. Fox you may depend upon a good play. Music will be furnished by Flint's Orchestra.

Town meeting is with us once more. The question comes up in regard to building a schoolhouse at No. 4. We have about all the taxes we feel like paying now, but if it is for the interest of the town yes better than that the well-fare and interest of the children of Lovell, we shall make no mistake if we vote to have a schoolhouse at No. 4. This is a question for the voters of this town to think over and decide as they, in their judgment, think best for all concerned.

EAST PERU.
The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Conant has been sick with tonsillitis but is on the gain at this writing.

Mrs. R. H. Bennett and Mrs. Roscoe Robinson spent the day with Mrs. Lucy Bryant Tuesday.

Mrs. Lucia Walker is working for Mrs. George Conant.

Mrs. H. A. Chase is very sick with the grippe.

Our teacher, Ruby Mahar, is now boarding at L. E. Irish's.

George Darrington spent Sunday in Canton.

R. V. Robinson's baby is sick with a cold.

J. T. Getchell is able to be on his job carrying the mail.

E. C. Poland was in Canton Monday on business.

The heavy rain has held the teamsters. Dr. A. L. Stanwood was in town Saturday calling on sick ones.

Will Paul has started his mill across the river and is finishing sawing his long lumber.

Mrs. Lill Whittemore, who was called to Boston the first of the week by the death of her brother, returned home Saturday night.

BRYANT'S POND
Duke Thompson, of this place recently returned from a few days visit to Holron, the result of an invitation to the Junior Banquet held at Sturtevant Home.

Speaking and Sociability characterized the evening which was much enjoyed by the members of the '17 Class. Preliminary prize speaking and a lecture on the wonders of electricity by Prof. Williams were enjoyed, while the intervening time was spent among old friends at the different dormitories. The last event and a worthy one was presented in the Hebron Debating Council Banquet, consisting of a fine menu, with much speaking taking up various topics, and the good wishes to all from Dr. Sargent, closing the evening's festivities.

Mr. Thompson, who worked his way across the continent and back last summer, was kept busy reiterating events experienced.

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Coming Events.

March 3—Norway Board of Trade Banquet, Beals Tavern.
March 7—"Arabian Nights," at Grange Hall, Bolster's Mill.
March 8—"The Frozen Trail," Wiley's Hall, Lovell.
March 10—Chapman concert, Norway Opera House.

LIVING YOUR LIFE.

Live your life while you have it. Life is a splendid gift. There is nothing small in it. For the greatest things grow by God's law, out of the smallest. But to live your life you must discipline it. You must not fritter it away in "fair purpose, erring act, in constant will," but must make your thought, your words, your acts, all work to the same end, and that end not self, but God. This is what we call character.—Florence Nightingale.

FLOWERS OF SPRING.

"Neath the snows they sleep a while
Till the springtime sunbeams smile.
Fair are they, and bright and true,
Darling Children of the Sun.
All that grew for me last year,
All that made my garden dear,
Do I hope to greet once more
When the white rest-days are o'er.
When the great Sun, riding high,
Tells me truly, "Spring is nigh."
Then I'll brush away the snow
Where my yellow "daffies" grow.
—Hortense Gardner (Gregg) Gates,
Norway, Me.

A STRING OF PEARLS.

A straight tongue lives long and goes far.
A crooked one falls by the wayside.
A stuck pig squeals, a hit dog yelps,
and the guilty man is always seeing a pursuer.

The boss who is ignorant of the things he hires others to do will not long remain a boss.

Size up the little things of life and in time you will be able to take advantage of the big ones.

The employee who makes a practice of earning a small salary will soon be earning a bigger one.

The fellow who continually talks of self has little about which to talk.

IN MEMORIAM

Whereas, an all-wise Providence has seen fit to remove from us the oldest member of Round Mountain Grange No. 122, Albany, Joseph W. Cummings. He was deeply interested in the welfare of the order and also being a requested townsman and friend to all he met. He departed this life January 24, 1916.

Resolved, that we extend to the bereaved family our heartfelt sympathy in this great sorrow, commending them for support to the all-wise and compassionate Father who orders all things for our good. Be it further

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be printed in the Oxford County Advertiser, and a copy spread upon our records, and that our charter be draped in honor of our departed brother.

W. B. CUMMINGS.

MRS. F. H. WARDWELL,
LILLIA G. STEARNS,
Committee on Resolutions.

Baptist Church Notes

Nothing so helpful as a message from God. Come and get one. Topic next Sunday, 3:15, "One of Christ's Fear notes."

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

William H. Collette of Lewiston and Verna M. Leighton of Norway.

BIRTHS.

In South Paris, Feb. 22, to the wife of Henry Woodworth, a daughter.
In West Paris, Feb. 20, to the wife of Louis N. Dale, a son.

In South Paris, Feb. 19, to the wife of Charles H. Bumpus, a daughter.
In Norway, Feb. 21, to the wife of Walter S. Chandler, a son.

In East Wardwell, Feb. 22, to the wife of Harold Merrill, a son.

DEATHS.

In Island Pond, Vt., Feb. 17, Robert Howe, formerly of Bethel, aged 74 years.
In Bethel, Me., Feb. 20, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Bumpus, aged 4 days.

In Bethel, Feb. 27, Christian H. Durell.
In Bethel, Feb. 27, Mrs. E. A. Needham.
In Abington, Mass., Feb. 21, Mrs. Olive Hall, wife of Gibbs Wyman, formerly of Woodstock, aged about 76 years.

In Norway, Feb. 28, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Sidelinger.
In Norway, Feb. 27, by Rev. Fr. E. J. Bolvin, Edward G. Appleton and Abigail E. Fagan, both of Bethel.

MARRIAGES.

In Freeburg, Feb. 27, by Rev. B. N. Stone, Charles F. Westwood of Freeburg and Inez E. Littlefield of Stow.

In Portland, Feb. 16, by Rev. Charles Harbutt, Henry E. F. Andrews, Geo. L. Curtis, J. N. Farrow, William T. Farrow, both of Bethel.

In Bethel, Feb. 12, Theodore Gallant and Fennia Alice Robinson, both of Freeburg.

In Norway, Feb. 27, by Rev. Fr. E. J. Bolvin, Edward G. Appleton and Abigail E. Fagan, both of Bethel.

Statement of the Condition of the Norway Savings Bank-Norway.

Feb. 23, 1916.
F. H. NOYES, Pres. G. L. CURTIS, Treas.
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Organized March 16, 1866.
LIABILITIES
Deposits.....\$586,004.73
Reserve fund.....27,000.00
Undivided profits.....9,148.85
\$622,153.58

RESOURCES.
Public funds of Maine.....\$6,253.80
Public funds of Maine.....27,925.00
Railroad bonds of Maine.....27,473.75
Railroad bonds out of Maine.....199,501.35
Corporation bonds.....78,468.86
Railroad stock.....36,264.50
Corporation stock.....9,212.50
Bank stock.....19,100.00
Loans with collateral.....205.00
Loans on mortgages of real estate.....120,005.75
Real estate investment.....5,000.00
Cash on deposit.....8,108.19
Cash on hand.....2,134.95
\$622,153.58

L. E. VERNON, Bank Commissioner.

South Paris

(Continued from Page 1.)

Water Works Earned a Good Profit. Charles W. Bowker, Superintendent of the South Paris Water Works, reported on the Water Works of \$5,573.61. The expenses for maintenance and extensions \$1,312.21. The interest on Bonds and Notes \$2,895.33. This leaves the corporation a net profit of \$1,366.02. The Corporation has paid \$1,300.00 on the debt this year, with two hundred dollars outstanding accounts.

The Fair at the Universalist church will be held Tuesday and Wednesday, March 7 and 8. The sale is in the form of a Japanese sale and the usual variety of articles will be found for sale. Supper and a short entertainment will be given Tuesday evening and on Wednesday evening, Mr. McDougall of Portland will furnish the evening's entertainment. Sale commences at 2 o'clock Tuesday. Shaw's Orchestra will furnish music in the evening.

A lyceum will be held at the high school Thursday evening, March 9th at 7:30. There will be a debate and readings by members of the senior class. Music will be by the high school orchestra and the Girls' Glee Club will also furnish music. A large audience is hoped for. The lyceum is in charge of Mrs. Alta Rankin.

Ethel Davis who works at the State House at Augusta spent Wednesday and Thursday with friends in town and is now spending a few days at her home at Mechanic Falls.

Eva Walker, who is suffering with ulcers of the stomach is still at Portland where she is receiving treatment and is improving and expects to return home the last of next week. Her mother, Mrs. A. W. Walker is with her in Portland.

She B. Porter of Portland has been spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Porter.

Maurice Noyes has bought a Buick Six.

Simon Ellis, who broke her ankle a short time ago by a fall, was taken Sunday to the home of her son, Harry Ellis, in Turner.

DENMARK

Foster Pingree and two boys, Everett Hayden and Andrew Leno took a circuitous trip to Peaked Mountain in Sebago with an ox team, taking three days for the journey. Peaked Mountain is an up hill climb of one and one-half miles. The boys had a big time.

Paul La Verta and Horace Flye of Hiram are going on a fishing trip to Moosehead.

John Smith, East Denmark, is to leave the management of C. B. Cobb's farm to some one else and go elsewhere.

Elmer Usher of Baldwin who has bought a new cattle here in town, is critically ill at his home.

Anna Lessa, 5 year old child of John Lessa, reads beautifully with excellent emphasis; says the multiplication tables; names all the States and oceans in the most fluent manner. Anna is one of a large family, but it is hoped that she will in some way be given proper opportunity to cultivate her exceptional mind.

Mrs. Julia Huzzie is very sick with bronchitis at the home of her sister, Mrs. Aaron Welch on Lake Road. Her sister Mrs. Emma Warren of Portland who is a nurse, is helping in caring for her.

The C. E. meeting was with Mrs. A. H. Jones at the Maplewood Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Fred Sanborn was in Portland Monday.

Florence Ingalls of East Denmark has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Wentworth the past week.

Elizabeth Crab of Portland High school, who came to spend the week with her former schoolmates here and to attend the drama, returned to Portland Saturday.

George Allen is very feeble at this writing.

BROWNFIELD.

Fred Poore, who has been engaged in J. E. Clement's store, is now at home.

It is rumored that Elmer E. Thompson of New York has purchased Sundial House, the home of Will Bennett and family.

Teacher real estate acquisitions of Mr. Thompson in town are the Rev. A. M. Smith estate, the A. W. Gray farm property and the Shepherd's gray water privilege of H. W. Seavey.

Mrs. Sylvia Cousins is staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Brooks.

Mrs. E. A. Ricker slipped and fell upon the ice Sunday which resulted in a broken wrist.

SWEDEN

Fred W. Barton of East Sweden, who went to the Maine General Hospital to have a foot amputated, is pleased that his many friends sent him a shower of postcards. He wishes to let them know that he is getting along finely and expects to be home to East Sweden, soon.

Fourth Class Postmaster.

The Advertiser has received the following request: "By direction of the Civil Service Commission I am sending you this notice for publication. The commission informs me that there is no appropriation for such expense and should be done free of charge. Will you kindly publish it and send me a copy of the paper?"

The North Lovell postoffice has a vacancy for postmaster. Salary for the past fiscal year \$250. The civil service examination will be held at Norway, March 25.

The Greenland Shark.

The Greenland shark is well known as a foe to whalers. It will follow a dead whale to the ship and show no fear of the men while they are engaged in cutting up the prey, biting out lumps from it as big as a man's head. Sometimes it happens that a man will fall off the slippery side of the whale cove by the shark, but the latter never attacks him, being intent upon voraciously taking with the flesh of the carcass. The most severe wounds from thrusts of the whalers' knives will not penetrate to the shark. This species of shark is often partly or wholly blinded by a parasitic worm three inches long which fastens itself at the corner of the eye and lives on its fluids.

Occasionally we hear of a case where a married couple's divorce is public in a really a reflection of their private lives.

War or no war, we still have bargain sales.

Nevertheless, winter isn't over.

EAST HEBRON.

Mrs. Emma Harlow, widow of the late Roscoe Harlow, died suddenly Sunday morning at her home on Brighton Hill. She had a shock and passed away immediately. She was 73 years of age and had been a resident of this town for many years.

The funeral was from her home, Tuesday, at 1 P. M. Rev. Mr. Rich of Mechanic Falls officiated. She is survived by one brother, Frank Shaw of Auburn and a stepson, Will Harlow of Auburn.

Mrs. Olive Keen.

Mrs. Olive Keen, widow of the late Samuel Keen of East Hebron, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Head of Sumner, Feb. 19. She was eighty years of age and had spent most of her life at East Hebron. The funeral was from the E. B. church, Tuesday.

East Hebron Grange held an interesting meeting, Feb. 26. It was the second meeting of the contest.

The Ladies' Circle held an all-day session at the vestry, Mar. 3.

L. E. Sawyer, who is working at Portland, was home over Sunday.

Joseph Pitts of Harrison spent a few days in town, recently.

Early Spring Indicated.

Mean temperature, Feb. 1915, 22.4-7; mean temperature, Feb. 1916, 16.1-9; Feb. 5, 1915, only day below zero, 2 degrees; Feb. 15, 1916, 10 below; Feb. 16, 1916, zero. The mean temperature this year is practically six degrees colder than last year. This, with the stormy weather we had, indicates a nearly, warm spring.

PARIS HILL

Col. Albert S. Austin.

Col. Albert S. Austin, formerly a well known citizen of Oxford County, died of pneumonia at the home of his daughter, Mrs. James S. McKenna, in Rosindale, Mass., Wednesday evening, Feb. 23, after a short illness. He was secretary of the First Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, and was one of the 1st survivors of Gen. Hooker's staff. He was 79 years of age.

After the war Col. Austin resided in Dixfield. In 1882 he was elected clerk of courts of Oxford County, and with his family moved to Paris Hill, then the county seat. He served as clerk of courts for three terms of four years each, from January, 1883, to January, 1895. For a few years subsequent to that time the family resided in Paris, and thence moved to Massachusetts, in which State they have since resided.

He leaves three children, Warren Austin, Mrs. Edward G. DeWolf of Malden, and Mrs. James S. McKenna of Rosindale, Mass.

BETHEL.

Rev. W. C. Curtis attended the mission conference at Norway, Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Shaw, who has been ill at her mother's in Albany, is slowly regaining her health.

Mrs. William Love and little grandson, Maynard White, have come to Hiram, Mass., to visit her daughter, Mrs. Harris White, for a few weeks.

A. W. Somerville has moved his family into the Barker house just below C. K. Fox's store.

A. W. Somerville, who was burned out in the Sunday morning fire, is moving into the Leander Barber house on Main street.

Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Gehring, who have been visiting at Cleveland, Ohio, returned home, Wednesday.

Elmer and Frances Carter of Portland were week-end guests of their mother, Mrs. Ella Carter.

Hon. H. H. Hastings and bride, (Ethel Richardson), are in their own home, the Rev. David Garland house at Mayville.

The Francis Willard memorial meeting was held at the high school, Monday.

Insurance agents were in town, Monday, to adjust the losses by the Sunday fire. Mr. Hastings' loss was \$2,500.00; H. S. Pushard's, on drugs, \$2,100.00, fixtures, \$700.00.

In the game of basketball at G. A. gymnasium, Friday evening, the Alumni beat Goulds.

Gould Academy alumni and Social Club met at the home of Mrs. J. G. Gehring, Sunday afternoon. As the club leader, Mrs. Gehring, was ill, Miss True kindly came to the members the letter just received from Mr. DeWitt, who is with the American Red Cross on the great battle line of France. The letter told, in a vivid way, the writer's experience in the hospital and while driving an ambulance to and from the trenches. He mentioned the bringing back to the front of a general who had been seriously wounded and who afterward died in the hospital. During the drive over the terrible roads and in the darkness, Mr. Dawson received a bullet through the collar of his jacket and an arrow in the leg. The general was wounded. Mr. Dawson mentioned as an unimportant item that he had several times received superficial wounds and also a broken arm which he had almost forgotten. He was rejoicing over the idea that he was soon to have a 70 hours' rest with nothing to do but sleep, eat and bathe, and that a cake of soap and some clean hot water were an unrivaled joy to the men in the front. Mr. Dawson spent some time in Bethel last year and is pleasantly remembered by many in Bethel, who are pleased to receive this first-hand news of the Red Cross aid.

EAST HIRAM.

Thompson Cotton has been sick for the past week.

Bulah Bates, field secretary of Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of Maine, spoke before the society here last Thursday evening.

George Gardner of Guilford, Vt., was instantly killed by an extra freight near Bridgton Jet, Thursday evening. It is thought from the quantity of liquor found in a grip near the body that Gardner was intoxicated and was confused as to his whereabouts. No blame is attached to the train crew as the train body was taken to Hiram station where it was viewed by the Coroner, George I. Geer, of Portland, on Friday morning, and then sent to Cornish in care of Undertaker A. P. Copp.

Charles Smith is working at Baldwin for C. V. Hartford.

Foster Pingree of Denmark spent Friday night with Charles R. Bean.

Vera Hoyt was a Portland visitor last Tuesday.

The will of George S. Pitts of Harrison, who died Feb. 17, leaving property estimated at \$4,000.00, has been filed in the Probate Court. The widow is sole beneficiary under the provisions of the will. Joseph Pitts of Harrison is named as executor.

THE JITNEY BUS AND CITY STREETS

Effect of Motor Traffic on Maintenance of Highways.

A VITAL CIVIC PROBLEM.

Jitney Movement Will Be of Untold Public Value if It Will Focus Public Attention Upon the Need For Special Types of Roads For Motor Traffic.

Of vital importance to the public welfare is the effect of extended motor vehicular traffic on the costs of building and maintaining city streets and country roads, writes Clyde Lyndon King in the American City. As the motor vehicles will, without doubt, very largely supplant the horse drawn vehicles in cities, this whole question must be an increasing and vital problem in every city. The jitney movement will be of untold public value if it will focus public attention upon the need for special types of roads for motor traffic—a boon not only to automobilists, but to business and trucking facilities as well.

Many insidious efforts have been made, not only in this country, but in England and other European countries as well, to show that the motor vehicles are solely responsible for the wear and tear of streets, and that they alone should pay all the expenses of their building and upkeep. Thus if the levy of 50 percent per car mile were made on motor busses, as was proposed in England, the motor busses would pay in the Westminster area alone practically \$20,000 per year for road maintenance, whereas the total cost of the maintenance of all the roads in that area has been estimated to be only \$14,000 per year. No more effective measure could be taken to inhibit either actual or potential motor competition with street railways than exorbitant levies for street and road maintenance and operation. The central

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NORWAY AND VICINITY.

Friday evening, Feb. 29, 1916, the ladies gave a Leap Year Ball at the Elm House Hall, Norway. This was sixty years ago. Floor managers, Rose Tucker, Lizzie Jones and Nell Palmer. There were ten on the committees of arrangements. None of whom are living. Music, Kelsey & Gline's Cotton Band. Tickets, \$1.00. J. P. Symonds Route 1 Norway hands us this programme.

THE CHAPMAN CONCERT.

At Norway Opera House.

The announcement in last week's paper that we are to be favored with a Chapman Concert in our town, has been a source of great joy to our music loving public. We wish that Prof. Chapman could know how much we appreciate his efforts in bringing to us the splendid artists that he always gives us, and it would seem that this year will be the most brilliant and popular concert he has ever offered us, and why? First, he is bringing to us Miss Florence Austin, who is acknowledged to be one of the first lady violinists in this country. When ever she has appeared, she has created the greatest enthusiasm. Her recitals have been received with tremendous favor, and her playing with the great orchestras has made her a national reputation. As soloist with the Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra, last month, she played to an audience of 3000 people, and was recalled six times. We quote from the Minneapolis Morning Tribune upon her work there.

"The assisting artist was Florence Austin, the New York Violinist. Miss Austin played with brilliant skill and truly remarkable technique. She was recalled six times."—Minneapolis Morning Tribune.

Secondly, he is bringing us the most celebrated Male Quartette in America, the Criterion Quartette of New York. This in itself is a tremendous expense and undertaking, as these splendid artists generally give the entire programme, as each one is a more delightful solo artist. Donald Chalmers is considered the finest Bass in New York, while Mr. John Young, tenor, holds one of the highest priced church positions there. Mr. George Watson Beardon, is one of the very few baritone soloists who sing the Toreador Song from Carmen, that would make many of the artists of the Metropolitan sit up and take notice, while Mr. Rench has a most wonderful and sympathetic voice. These artists will appear in solo work as well as quartette. We quote from the New York Sun, of their splendid work the other evening.

Their singing was uplifting and inspiring, their articulation and enunciation the best ever listened to. Their collection of songs ranged from the grandest of human emotion, lyrical compositions, love songs, and lullabies. It is impossible to differentiate in the value of the songs, since each has its special charm. It is difficult to refrain from superlatives in speaking of the work of this quartette. Their success was immediate and positive, such harmony, such blending of tone, as unerring as a beam of afternoon sunlight."

Tickets are selling rapidly for this great concert. Do not expect to get any for the same, and do not forget the date, Friday evening, March 10th. Adv.

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how often children suffer from worms, they would take care and guard against this common ailment of childhood.

Signs of worms are: Drowsy, stomach, swollen upper lip, sour and undigested food, loss of appetite, loss of weight, loss of sleep, loss of interest in school, loss of interest in play, loss of interest in friends, loss of interest in everything.

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To Be Acted on at the Norway Town Meeting.

ARTICLE THIRTY-EIGHT.

A Discussion by T. B. Roberts. At the present time we teach and have facilities for teaching some of the essentials of a satisfactory education, viz. History, Mathematics, English, Geography, Music and Drawing. We also teach the various sciences Physics, Chemistry, etc., as well as a business course, but have an inadequate equipment for the same. The courses in History, Mathematics, English, Geography, Music and Drawing and to some degree those in the sciences, are cultural courses, none of which we could well omit. We also have a Business course intended to make those who graduate more capable of doing some specific work, work that will bring a satisfactory cash return. Such courses should be developed and amplified, otherwise our schools will become more and more expensive and unsatisfactory luxuries.

The cultural courses may be regarded as the trunk, limb and leaves of a tree, and the business or vocational courses the roots, which supply food to the limbs and leaves above. At the present time we grow and artificially feed a big spreading top, viz., the cultural studies, and provide but a very small rootlet (our present business course and its accommodations) to support and nourish the top. Now when our boy or girl graduates, he or she at once becomes dependent on this very small rootlet for getting his or her bread and butter, to say nothing of supplying the multitudinous wants developed by the cultural side of the school. Such a transition is not pleasant and sooner or later, and the sooner the better, we must remedy the situation by putting in more business courses, courses which so far as possible should be articulated with local industries. To add these courses will necessitate a new High School building and equipment. But whether we add them or not the above necessity of a new High School building will arise within the next ten years. (See above about the town report.)

Now this new building must be heated. In like manner the present High School building must be heated as well as the proposed gymnasium. The present heating plant is unsatisfactory in one respect, viz. its location in the school building. Another heating plant beneath a new building would be equally unsatisfactory. We have then the logical necessity of building a heating plant outside the present building or the new building.

In view of the coming necessity of a new High School building, and in view of the unsatisfactory location of the present plant, the committee of the Alumni Association have suggested that the town could well afford to assist the Association to build a gymnasium, thereby providing in the basement of the same, a suitable location for a future central heating plant. The Association has at its disposal in cash and in pledges \$1000 and proposes that the town raise some \$2000 additional to assist in the erection of a suitable gymnasium, one that will be a credit to the town, at the same time providing an excellent location for an absolutely safe heating plant.

The plans call for a 14 ft. posted building, 72 by 39, containing a main room 57 by 39, separate lockers and dressing rooms and shower baths. The intention is to use all the appropriation for construction, relying on the students to earn a portion of the equipment, piece by piece, the Alumni helping out as opportunity may offer. In fact we hope to make the construction of the building a family affair, everybody lending a hand.

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gives a boy some knowledge of himself and points the way to self development. Such a policy is made possible by a gymnasium.

Parer. Last year sometime in March I had occasion to go to Lewiston. The day was bright and sunny, one of those invigorating days when the sunshine feels so good after winter's cold. Some of you perhaps will remember there is a steep embankment between the track and the river just previous to entering the Auburn station. Down there in the sun at the foot of the bank were three small boys, ten years old possibly, and they were having the time of their life in fighting and learning to smoke some cigarettes, stubs probably. Now, it was the excitement of the affair, probably that appealed to them rather than any particular taste for the cigarettes. The taste and craving would come later.

We have or had a boy scouts organization in this community, an organization devoted to different ideals of manhood than very likely obtained in the minds of the previously mentioned boys and I feel the town could well afford to support such a policy. A gymnasium would be a convenient headquarters for the carrying out of such a plan. The carrying out of such plans being to provide and teach the boys various games of skill and excitement so that when a group of boys came together some one would naturally say "Let's go over to the Gym" rather than for them to get their heads together and plan up some such expedition as I have just described.

Supr. Morrill well says "Athletics appeal to the ambition and to self-restraint; they give crude youth tasks in which it can attain finish and skill". They also furnish excitement, excitement of the sort that is desirable. Some have declared themselves in favor of athletics in general but claim as conducted at present the boys "are too wrapped up in them". I know nothing of the truth of the charge but feel that it is a poor sort of town who is not "wrapped up" in something, and to my mind it had better be basket ball or other athletic activities than some others that I might mention, activities which have not been entirely absent in the past.

But let the desirability be granted. The town has other needs, needs that are urgent. Indeed the town has an unusual opportunity this year to vote money. Main street and a power roller call for liberal expenditures. The location of the school building is a point of view they should have the first chance. But then there are other business considerations, there are for instance the town's boys and girls, some eight hundred of them, and they want a gymnasium. They are aware that the Alumni Association has been raising money during the last few years for the erection of one and as time has passed on there has developed among them a most passionate eagerness for a building of this sort. There is no town who is almost as struggling so hard for an object or waiting so long, that when finally attained it has lost its preciousness, so to speak. The time to give a boy a pair of skates is when the skating is good when his soul full with the desire for skating. So I feel that whatever action, the town in a purely business way, may see fit to take in regard to the other articles in the Warrant, it can afford to be generous hearted when it comes to Art. 38.

Baptist Church Notes. Thursday, Feb. 25, the South Paris Baptist Church, held a very interesting and profitable service.

Marion Everett, president of the South Paris society, gave a very helpful talk on the work of the president and vice-president. Other members who gave interesting talks were: Mrs. Elizabeth Andrews, who gave a very helpful talk on the work of the prayer meeting committee. Mr. Hammond on the work of the Sunday School committee, Mr. Newton on the work of the look-out committee. Mercy Millett of Norway spoke interestingly on the work of the treasurer and secretary. Harry Jenkins also of Norway made the response.

Miss Everett and Miss Hammond sang a pleasing duet and Mr. Hickey gave a fine solo. Miss Thomas of South Paris presented the society with a charter. Mr. Marshall of Norway presented a wall pledge. The officers were also given books. The society is very grateful for all these fine gifts. Refreshments of cocoa and cake were served after the service. Thirteen were present from South Paris.

The Barton Reading Club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Elizabeth Andrews. The afternoon will be spent with current events.

The Leap Year Party given Tuesday evening by the Temple Pythian Sisters at the P. Hall was well attended and a very enjoyable time was had by all. The honors were done by the ladies in good style and gave the men an opportunity to see the way they like things done. The affair was in charge of Mrs. Arthur Lewis as chairman of the committee.

PORTER CENTER.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Roberts spent the day Friday at L. E. Norton's. Hattie Norton and Sadie Prescott called on Mr. and Mrs. Moses Chapman one day recently. Mr. Chapman has charge of Porter town factory for the coming year. Orison Libby and family visited at his father's, T. B. Libby's, Sunday.

Frank L. Roberts celebrated his 18th birthday February 17, by inviting in his neighbors and friends. There were 25 gathered to wish him many more happy birthdays. He passed a fine treat of ice-cream, cake, cookies, candy and oranges; also corn brittle and corn balls. His friends left him well remembered, with pretty as well as useful tokens of remembrance.

Mr. Peters, who has been working for Arthur Lowell, is now helping Charles Philbrick on the Ashley Works' lot.

F. L. Mason is some better after being sick so long a time.

C. A. Roberts and son are hauling pine timber for Seth I. Day to Riddell's mill at South Hiram.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Norton recently visited at Windham Center at Mrs. Norton's place. It was a very pleasant visit. Mr. and Mrs. Warren Libby's, who is in poor health.

Town meeting seems to be the topic of the day at present.

EAST STONEHAM.

Annie Morse, who was a guest at Fernando McAllister's, the past week, returned to her home in Milan, N. H., Friday.

Mrs. Raymond McAllister and Gladys Parker entertained the circle, Thursday. Mrs. Arthur P. Moody and Helen McAllister will entertain the next circle, Thursday evening, March 9th.

Algie McAllister is clerking for Benj. Brown & Lowell at boarding with his sister, Mrs. L. W. Johnson.

Merton McAllister went to Bethel Friday on business.

Wallace McAllister visited friends in this place last week. Mr. and Mrs. Frank McAllister visited their daughter, Mrs. Bert Kendall in Lovell, Sunday.

Washington's Birthday was celebrated at the Congregational church, Tuesday evening, Feb. 22, under the auspices of the Sunday School. Those having the affair in charge were: Mrs. Melvin Bartlett, Gladys Parker, and Helen McAllister. The proceeds from the supper were used to procure maps for the benefit of the Sunday School. About \$8.00 was cheerfully rendered.

The following program was pleasantly rendered:
Music, "The Songs My Mother Used to Sing," Solo, "The Songs My Mother Used to Sing," Gladys Parker.
Washburn, "The Songs My Mother Used to Sing," Helen McAllister and pupils.
Music, "The Songs My Mother Used to Sing," Mr. Eliphalet.
Song, "Just at Twilight," Mr. Eliphalet.
Banjo solo, "Little Golden Ring," Mr. Eliphalet.
Exercise, "Little Golden Ring," Mr. Eliphalet.
George and Ernest Harriman and Thaxter and Harriet Littlefield.
Exercise, "The Boys Brigade," Stanwood Nelson, Ernest Harriman, Barton Files and Sullivan McAllister.
Music, "The Songs My Mother Used to Sing," Thelma Grover.
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Edna Harriman, Eliphalet and Violet McAllister and Grace Harriman.
Barytone solo, "The Songs My Mother Used to Sing," Grace Harriman.
Song, "The Songs My Mother Used to Sing," Mrs. Ernest Paine and her brother called on her aunt Mrs. Henry Hill, Sunday.

Favorable reports were heard from Frances Bartlett, who is ill in the Massachusetts General Hospital.

Mrs. Fred McKee visited her father at West Stoneham, Thursday.

The Circle was well attended, Thursday evening and was entertained by Mrs. Raymond McAllister and Gladys Parker. Those from out of town were: Perley and Merton Grover and Donald Rice. There will be another one in two weeks, entertained by Mrs. Arthur Moody and Helen McAllister.

Mr. and Mrs. William McAllister visited relatives in this place, Sunday.

Gloria Grover is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Alton Grover in Bethel, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miliken visited friends in this place, Tuesday.

Isabelle Andrews, who has been visiting at John Files', has returned to her home in Lovell.

Elizabeth McAllister, who has been on the sick list, is gaining.

Lucius Jewett was through this place last week, selling fish.

Wm. McAllister is stopping with his brother, Billy McAllister.

Mabel Barker, who has been ill, is improving.

Will Decker and George Brown were in town over Sunday.

A number attended the Washington entertainment given at the Congregational church, last week, and report a nice time. Through the kindness of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chaplin, who took along those without teams, nearly all of the little girls from this place were able to be present.

PARENT-TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The local organizations of the Parent-Teachers' Associations of the State of Maine became members of the National Association of Parent-Teachers' Associations at Waterville, Feb. 10.

Fifty-two delegates from different local organizations were present. The State membership is now about 2,000.

Mrs. David O. Mears, National Vice-President, from Cambridge, Mass., presided at this meeting.

Mrs. Higgins also a National Vice-President, gave a very interesting talk. She said among other things, "What other organization is there that embraces everybody? For everybody is a child—man, woman, teacher or parent." It is necessary to bring the parent and teacher into closer relationship to fulfill the purposes of this organization.

Officers for the State Branch of Maine were elected as follows:

President—Mrs. D. W. Adams, Augusta.
Vice-Presidents—H. H. Stuart, Augusta, Dr. Ethel Walters, Waterville, Richard B. Bervick, J. W. Winchester, Corinna, Mrs. W. L. Clarke, Saco, Mrs. W. F. Jones, Norway, Mrs. Ada Backley, Greene, Mrs. William Murdoch, Calais, Mrs. J. A. Niles, Rumford Falls, Mrs. H. E. Nichols, Eastport.

Recording Secretary—Mrs. J. L. Dean, Winslow.
Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. W. O. Hersey, Fairfield.

Treasurer—Mrs. Edith Kelley, Fairfield.
Auditor—Nelson I. Mixer, Waterville.
Historian—Mrs. Merton Bessy, Waterville.

The following members from different sections of the State were chosen to act with the above officers, forming the board of managers:

Mrs. Laura Richards, Gardiner.
Charles C. Perkins, Waterville.
Mrs. G. E. Varney, Casco.
Dr. E. H. Bennett, Lubec.
Mrs. Laura V. Thompson, Machias.
Mrs. L. E. Fisher, Carmel.
Blaine S. Viles, Augusta.

Mrs. E. E. Boothby, Waterville.
Mrs. R. A. Macdonald, Calais.
Clarence N. Flood, Bath.
Mrs. S. Reed, Bowdoinham.
H. E. Plummer, Lisbon Falls.
Mrs. Fred F. Gison, Machias.
Mrs. Hugh Ross Hatch, Fairfield.
Miss Dorothy Elliott, Skowhegan.
Mrs. Margaret Peabody, Richmond.
L. Pickett, Bowdoinham.
Mrs. Frank Mackay, Gardiner.
Mrs. F. A. L. Johnson, Farmington.
Mrs. P. A. G. Gilbert, Ashland.
Mrs. Richard Quick, Bath.

Committee chairmen: membership committee, Miss Lucia Connor, Fairfield; education committee, J. E. Taylor of Augusta; child hygiene committee, Dr. Ethel Walters, Fairfield; press and publicity committee, Rev. W. H. Haynes, Augusta; finance committee, Mrs. G. E. Varney, Casco; Parent-Teachers' committee, Mrs. Ross Hatch, Fairfield; literature committee, J. H. Winchester, Corinna; historical committee, Mrs. Merton Bessy of Waterville.

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NORTH LOVELL.

Perley McKee is still having trouble with his left knee and does not get out any.

Norman Kendall is visiting at Perley McKee's and helping do the chores.

Mrs. Susie Gammon, who has been very ill with bronchitis, is getting better, but not able to sit up yet.

Mrs. Sophy K. McAllister is sick at her home here. Her daughter, Mrs. Millie Butters who has been working at Edgar McAllister's, is at home taking care of her.

Mrs. Edgar McAllister, who has been ill so long of heart disease, is in a critical condition at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hill are sick with the grippe and confined to the house.

Austin Warren, Fred Mason and several others are sick with the grippe.

A. B. Garcelon and family have all been sick with the prevailing colds and grippes.

School closed Feb. 18th with a nice entertainment at the Grange hall. A fine programme was given by the teacher, Miss Hall and the pupils, consisting of readings, recitations, dialogues, tableaux, songs and instrumental music. The parts were well taken and acted and everyone enjoyed the evening's entertainment. Refreshments of hot coffee, several kinds of sandwiches, and doughnuts were served at the school house. The affair was a success financially and will be a help to the school. Miss Hall has kept a fine school and everyone hopes that she will return and teach the spring term.

Mrs. Seth Harriman is staying with her mother, Mrs. S. J. Hill, at present. Her friends hope she will be better as the weather gets warmer.

The officers of Crystal Valley Rebekah Lodge were installed the evening of Feb. 21 by the President of the Rebekah lodge, Mrs. Ricker and her assistant. The work was performed in a fine manner and was enjoyed by all present. Refreshments were served after the work, then a speech hour. Following is a list of the officers:

N. G.—Mrs. Kate Williams.
V. G.—Mrs. Lillian Adams.
Chap.—Mrs. Susie Gammon.
R. Sec.—Mrs. Ethel Wilson.
F. Sec.—Willie McKee.
Treas.—Maudie Larron.
Warden—Annie Wildberger.
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WEST SUMNER
Mrs. Rosetta Ryerson is confined to the home by sickness.
The Ladies' Aid of the Baptist church will serve dinner as usual on town meeting day. Dinner will be served in the vestry at 12 o'clock.

Mrs. G. P. Barrett has returned home after a week's visit with friends in Dixfield.

Little Velma Bonney, having recovered from her recent illness, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Newell.

The attendance at the dance given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Universalist church, Friday evening, was small, owing to the inclemency of the weather.

Henry Proctor, who has been in poor health for some time, has gone to Lewiston, where he is receiving good care from his nephew and niece.

The past week has given a wide variety of weather, starting with an old-fashioned

ion snow storm, which was followed by a warm rain, a gale, and lastly, a cold wave with zero weather and high winds.
The Grange Fair was a decided success, the total receipts of the afternoon and evening being \$52. Walter Chandler and Odell Heath were the successful winners of the quilts; and Everett Bessey, of a very pretty sofa pillow, made by Bertha Swift.

The Comedy Drama, "The Black Heifer," was presented at East Sumner on Tuesday evening.

The gripe victims are reported to be all convalescing.

A. D. McPhearson, who recently submitted to a surgical operation, performed by Doctor Webber of Lewiston, is critically ill. He is being cared for by a professional nurse.

MASON.

Mrs. E. C. Mills is on the sick list. Jack and John Eagle of West Bethel have been at home for a few days.

WEST PARIS.

On account of the thaw and slush, there was no meeting of the Grange last Saturday afternoon.

Pomona meets with West Paris Grange next Tuesday.

The Prize Speaking Contest of the High School will be given next week, Wednesday evening, March 8, at the Grange Hall.

Mrs. J. F. Wood has been teaching the ten contestants and the entertainment will be one of the best. The programme is as follows:

Music: "Hearse Ridge," Brown, Carl Greenleaf Emery
Speech of Segulus, Eliza Kellogg
"The Squire's Roster," W. W. Hall
"Maudslayi," William Sherman Billings
"The Famine," (selected) Longfellow
Solo, "Mother Alice Barden
"How Robinson Played," Anonymous
"Soul of a Violin," E. L. McDowell
"Sandy MacDonald's Sign," Ralph Howard McAllister
"Home to Our Mountains," Verdi
"The Gipsy Flower Girl," E. L. McDowell
"King Robert of Sicily," Longfellow
Speech of Patrick Henry, E. L. McDowell
Music: "The Gipsy Flower Girl," E. L. McDowell
Awarding of prizes

Rev. J. P. Roberts, the evangelist, is a forceful interesting speaker and a straight Gospel preacher. The meetings at the Free Baptist church were well attended last week. The meetings on Tuesday and Sunday afternoon at Centennial Hall the men's meeting turned out exceptionally well. They voted to have another next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Tuesday afternoon a talk was given to the school children at 4 o'clock. Earl Benwick of Bates College came Tuesday afternoon to assist in the meetings with his deep musical baritone voice and got here in season to sing at the children's meeting. He was here for Tuesday and Wednesday evenings and gave valuable aid. Another children's meeting will be held Thursday afternoon. The meetings will continue through the week and over Sunday.

Among those who attended the auto show at Portland were G. A. Smith, L. H. Penley, F. R. Penley, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mann, F. R. Andrews of South Woodstock, and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. McAllister of North Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. L. Bates have returned from a few days in Portland.

Mrs. W. E. Cole has been quite sick with the gripe.

Harold Jackson of Milton is the night watchman at Mann's mill. He boards at Abner H. Mann's.

H. G. Brown has been quite sick with the gripe and other troubles but is improving slowly.

C. M. Herriek and family have moved into the down stairs part of Mrs. Emory's house, better known as the old butter factory.

Rev. D. A. Ball was in Boston part of last week. He went to attend a meeting of the Ferry Beach Park Association.

News of the marriage of Clara Hall, who is quite well known here as Mrs. S. R. Johnson's sister, to Harry Johnson, of Groveton, N. H., has just been received.

WATERFORD

George C. Wheeler has returned from his sojourn in New Jersey and Massachusetts.

School closes Friday. The Plummer Hill and Platt schools will unite in closing exercises at the vestry at 10 A. M. and enjoy a picnic dinner at noon.

The Bridgton and Vicinity Sunday School Union will meet with the church here, Tuesday, Mar. 7. The following is the programme:

10:15 A. M. Prayer and Praise, led by the pastor of the church.
10:30 Business and Reports from Sunday Schools.
10:45 Address, "Y. M. C. A. Work," by Rev. C. M. Herriek.
11:15 Solo, "Mrs. W. W. Pillsbury," by Mrs. W. W. Pillsbury.
11:45 Address, "O. M. C. A. Work," by Rev. C. M. Herriek.
12:15 P. M. Dinner and Social Hour.
1:45 "Helps and Hindrances to a Good Sunday School," by Mrs. Charles P. Saunders.
Singing.
2:30 Delegates stand offering.
3:00 "The Sunday School a Vital Factor in Community Life," by Rev. Robert J. Bruce.

HARTFORD

The last meeting of the East Hartford Sewing Circle was at Mrs. Nellie Bonney's pleasant home. There were forty-one present and a busy and profitable time was enjoyed in sewing, etc. There was received for dinners, quilt and dues: \$5.55. The next meeting is to be in the house of Mrs. Bosworth and Mrs. Lena Hannan, Thursday, March 2.

A donation was given to the Methodist minister, Rev. Ivan Thom, at Livermore, Thursday, the 24th of February. The dinner was at the vestry and a number of the week work was presented. A very social time was enjoyed by all.

The youngest daughter of Fred Bryant has been ill, but is now better.

Little Elsie Bryant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bryant, has been ill but is now better.

Edworth Piper has been suffering with rheumatism lately.

Mrs. Marbron Howard and daughter, Bessie Luce, and little Velma, made a short visit with relatives at Mexico, the 22nd and 23rd of February.

Mrs. Bessie Cooper, who has been keeping house for her brother, Edwin Libby, for the past few weeks, has returned to her home in East Buckfield.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Marston have been visiting his sister, Mrs. Nettie Morse and family, at South Paris, recently.

NORTH WOODSTOCK

Miss Lenard and her sister of South Paris are visiting their sister, Mrs. Charles Crockett.

Zenia Morse was unable to work the first of the week owing to a very bad cold. Mrs. E. E. McCall is quite sick with the gripe.

George Hudson of South Paris was called home by the illness of his grandmother, Mrs. E. E. McCall.

Mrs. Howard Judkins, of Boimington made a flying visit to her father-in-law, George Judkins, Monday.

Owing to the severe injury Mont Wing got last week at the spool mill at Bryant's Pond, Cullian Abbott is now working on the stripper.

Intelligence Column.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Large Bay Indian. Used one season. George Russell, Norway, Me.
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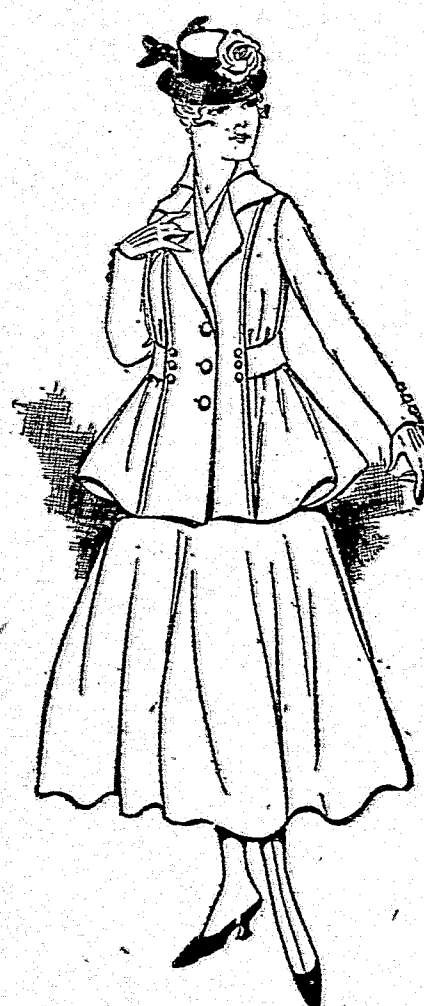
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NORWAY AND VICINITY.

A pleasant evening was enjoyed, 71 day, at the home of Mrs. Homer Luc Pleasant street, when she and Mrs. George Devine entertained the Young Men's Ladies' Whist Club. There were six present, and progressive whist was the order of the evening. Refreshments, sandwiches, fancy cookies, peanuts, confectionery were served.

Hon. A. J. Stearns has been spending a few days at Augusta this week. During his absence, Mrs. Stearns, wife, parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wheeler South Paris.

A ten-cent social will be held at home of Mrs. Lizzie Sampson, Wednesday evening, Mar. 15, for the benefit of the Ladies' Circle of the Universalist church. All are invited.

Fred Moore of Portland was at over Sunday. Mr. Moore is employed by the Berry Shoe Co.

The U. S. inspection of Commodore will be held at the Opera House, day evening, Mar. 16, and will be for all interested in witnessing the inspection.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Kimball moved from the Hawley house at 1111 of Portland and Main streets, to the Abbott block over Mr. Kimball's store. Mr. Kimball is to open an office.

Clayton Smith, who has been in Massachusetts for some time past, is his sister, Mrs. Walter Luck.

Mell W. Sampson is beginning preparations for his summer work. Lake. Wednesday, there arrived boats made by A. S. Omburg, of 45 feet beam. Mr. Sampson brought of Clarence W. Coffin a motor boat for use on the Lake. The boat has a Victor motor.

Fred Lovejoy and family are moving from the Russell house at 1111 of Portland and Main streets, to the Hawthorne house on Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Chase are paying the Tubbs rent over J. H. Plummer. Ruth Bean, who teaches at St. Mills, is spending her vacation with her grandmother, Mrs. Alice Rolph, Norway. She spent the week-end with Mrs. C. N. Tubbs.

Mrs. Frank Lovejoy fell Sunday, and broke the large bone in her leg. Mrs. Arthur Hayden and son, went to Lynn, Mass., Tuesday. Ben is employed by the A. E. Life Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Trac C. Morrill, living relatives in Gardiner for Della Noyes left a short time.

Injured her arm. Mrs. George W. Locke entertained Barton Reading Club, Thursday noon, at her home on Main street. Readings were selections from Mrs. Harold Thayer's eutopia Swastika Club at her home on street. Wednesday evening.

Mt. Hope Rebekah Lodge will Pleasant Lodge, at South Paris, and will confer the degree.

The Browning Reading Club entertained Monday evening, Maggie Libby. The roll call was given by quotations or show from works of Nathaniel Hawthorne's life will be given by Maggie Libby.

A book review from Hawthorne's works, by Baker will also be given.

The Senior class drama, "Nights," was presented at Theater, at South Paris, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Jackson Nolan, visited at W. Berry's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jason Marr Paris with their daughter, for a visit stay.

Mrs. Frank Stearns returned land, recently, to take up nursing, near Munjoy Hill.

The members of the "Young Club" are getting anxious to meet. Owing to the ill of President, Uncle Hiram Libby, obliged to discontinue the meetings, the days grew longer and the movement of opening exercises made later.

Mrs. Sarah (Seavey) Stearns, this winter, keeping, except for a chore boy to help day. She very much enjoys friends run in for a chat.

Mrs. A. K. Clark's account California will be read with by friends from all around.

A. J. Stearns was in A week.

Prof. Geo. A. Yeaton was variety of Maine again this Timothy L. Heath, after for about five weeks with a leg by nearly having his legs coming down like a hill, round again. In some way, he was with and while slowed and caused the injury.

Percival E. Hathaway, boys of the N. H. S. last eight in number, at his Paris, Wednesday, Mar. 1, supper, which was served in way, they had selections and several games were played.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Beaton, Tuesday, to attend show. They will be in bridge, where they will write up. adv.

CANDIDATE FOR S Arthur J. Landry of nominees his candidacy for a nomination for state county. He has served as Sheriff, McIntire and F. would like the support of party affiliations. See write up. adv.